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For RADIOSENSITIZING TAXANES AND THEIR PHARMACEUTICAL  
PREPARATIONS

Examiner Ba K. Trinh

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**AMENDMENT A**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

This is in response to the Office action of February 12, 2002, the time for response to which has been extended to July 12, 2002 by the petition for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 and the government fee submitted concurrently herewith.

Please enter the following amendments:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claim 18.

**REMARKS**

**Status of the Claims:**

Upon entry of this Amendment, Claims 1-17 are pending. Claims 1-3 are allowable. Claims 4-17 were rejected as anticipated under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) and claim 18 has been canceled.